



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

L'HERMET

Art Unit: 2839

Application Number: 09/588,728

Examiner: C. Prasad

Filed: June 7, 2000

Attorney Dkt. No.: 024118-00026

For: DATA STORAGE OR RECORDING DEVICE AND PROCESS FOR  
HERMETICALLY CONNECTING A DATA RECORDING AND STORAGE  
CARTRIDGE AND RECEPTACLE

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Date: July 29, 2002

Sir:

Further to the Office Action dated January 29, 2002, a Petition for a Three Month Extension of Time attached hereto, the following is a full and complete response thereto.

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please amend the specification as follows. A copy of the marked-up original specification is attached to this Response showing the changes, as required by amended 37 C.F.R. §1.121.

Please replace the original paragraph [58] with the following paragraph:

[58] closing hood 70 of box 200 closed: chock in high position permitting movements (M) of receptacle 30; hood open: chock in low position blocking movements (M);

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please cancel Claim 59.

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